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**ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS**

[Letters addressed to "Correspondence" will receive attention in this column. Inquiries are solicited.]

Q. Where is there an aviation school?  
C. O. McG.

A. At Belmont Park, Long Island, N. Y.

Q. Should I call my sister's grandson my grand-nephew?  
B. J. A.

A. Yes.

Q. What is the value of a one cent piece made in 1800?  
C. J.

A. Ten cents.

Q. What is the white population of the United States?  
M. A. R.

A. 81,732,687.

Q. In what year or years between 1840 and 1896 did February 29 fall on Saturday?  
S. B.

A. In 1840, 1868 and 1896.

Q. What became of Aguinaldo, the Philippine leader?  
J. M. N.

A. He is thoroughly pacified and lives quietly in the Philippines.

Q. Please tell me where to write to find out about government irrigation projects.  
H. E. H.

A. To the director of Reclamation Service, Washington, D. C.

Q. By whom were the Confederate forces in New Orleans commanded when Farragut captured the city in 1862?  
L.

A. John K. Mitchell.

Q. Do the railroads build and own any of the telegraph lines that they use or are they leased from the telegraph companies?  
C. E. I.

A. The roads usually own their own lines.

Q. Is there any means of finding out the names of those killed in the Custer massacre in 1876?  
R. C. L.

A. The War Department, Washington, D. C., has the complete records.

Q. Please tell me where the Colorado penitentiary is located and how to address a person there.  
READER.

A. At Carson City. Send the letter in care of the warden.

Q. On what days of the week did the following dates fall: February 20, 1837; February 13, 1828; February 8, 1833; February 6, 1897?  
READER.

A. Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Wednesday.

Q. What is the statute of limitations in the State of Wisconsin?  
G. A. C.

A. Judgments, if of record, twenty years; if not of record, six years. Notes and open accounts, six years.

Q. Has there been a war vessel built costing \$5,000,000?  
G. M. H.

A. About a dozen and a half have cost over that sum in the United States navy; thirteen new battleships have cost over six millions, and five cost over seven million dollars.

Q. What are the names and nativity of the treasurer and the auditor of the United States?  
C. G. D.

A. The treasurer is Lee McClung of Tennessee. There is no chief auditor, the treasury department having an auditor for each government department. Mr. McClung was born in Knoxville, Tenn.

Q. (1) Was not John Wilkes Booth shot and killed while resisting arrest?  
(2) Did the United States ever banish political or other prisoners to the island of San Deigas or any other island?  
O. H.

A. (1) Yes. (2) Deportation of citizens has never been practised by this government, and we have no political prisoners.

Q. (1) What Presidents of the United States have been impeached?  
(2) What is the meaning of the phrase "red tape"?  
W. H. P.

A. (1) None. Andrew Johnson was accused in impeachment resolutions passed by the Senate in 1868, but the charges were not sustained. (2) It is applied to slow and involved proceedings which matters of official business must sometimes pass through before final action is taken. The phrase originated through the use of red tape for tying up bundles of documents.

Q. (1) Has crime increased in the States that have abolished capital punishment?  
(2) How long ago did the first State abolish capital punishment?  
J. B. B.

A. (1) Little effect is produced on the number of capital crimes by the abolishment of the death penalty.

John Burroughs.

A. (1) Luther Burbank was born at Lancaster, Mass., in 1849 and worked as a wood turner and pattern-maker before devoting himself to horticulture. His first experiments with plants were made at a farm which he bought at Lunenburg, Mass., and there he developed the famous Burbank potato. In 1875 he located at Santa Rosa, Cal., where some of his most important work has been done and where also, owing to the advantageous climate, he has been able to develop his English walnut, sugar prune, Japanese plums, peaches, apples, berries and flowers. (2) John Burroughs was born at Roxbury, N. Y., in 1837, worked on his father's farm and attended school until he was seventeen, when he began to teach school. He was appointed to a place in the treasury department in 1865 and rose to be chief of the organization division of the bureau of national banks. Leaving Washington in 1872, Mr. Burroughs established himself at a farm on the Hudson river, New York. His literary style is direct and graceful and his books have done much to create popular interest in nature study. His attack on the animal stories which he characterized as "sham natural history" appeared in the Atlantic Monthly in 1904.

**Wants Three-Cent Pieces.**

Patriotic citizens are constantly coming to the front with panaceas for the evils under which we live in this country. One of the latest of these patriots is spending a great deal of money in stationery and postage stamps in an effort to educate the people generally, and Congress in particular, up to the point of demanding the recoinage of three-cent pieces. It is argued that this minor coin is demanded as a business necessity, now that the bargain sales of the department stores have become so firmly established. The originator of the idea of the recoinage of this coin is probably not old enough to remember that in the days before the Civil war millions of tiny silver coins, with a mint mark stamped on them which made them legal tender for three cents, were coined, and that during the days when the only metal coins in general circulation were one-cent pieces, the treasury issued "three-cent ship plasters." Again, after the close of the strife between the States nickel three-cent pieces were coined for several years, and they, being about the same size as the silver dime, frequently found their way into the tills of storekeepers for the coins of larger value. The cessation of the issuance of three-cent coins and three-cent "bills" by the treasury never caused a complaint and there has never been a serious demand for the rehabilitation of the denomination as a unit of currency.

Among the coins which are no longer issued, but which were at one time minted, are twenty-cent pieces in silver, one and three-dollar gold pieces and half cents in bronze or copper. There have been demands from time to time for a new half-cent piece, which might prove a useful addition to the coinage, but there are so many objections that the demand is not likely to meet with favor in Congress for some time to come. Nor is it likely that this new appeal for a coin of the value of three cents will meet with favor.

**Says Awards are too High.**

A letter from M. M. Stallman, general attorney for the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, was read by the town clerk at the council meeting Monday night. It related to the awards of damages made by the board of assessors for changes of grade in Orange street and Watessing avenue, due to the depressing of the railroad tracks. The awards were as follows: Letitia Burnett, \$75; James S. Cooney, \$95; Michael Winters, \$400; Julia S. Labaugh, \$100; estate of Gottfried Kurtz, \$50. The above are all on Orange street. Alfred Johnson, Willow street, \$200; W. B. Conroy, Willow street, \$50; Edgerley & Gilson, Watessing avenue, \$400.

Referring to the above awards, Mr. Stallman, speaking for the railroad company, said: "We think the awards are high, especially the \$400 to Michael Winters, and we do not think W. B. Conroy is entitled to damages, because the entire frontage of his property was taken for laying out of Willow street, and we assume that he has been compensated on account of the new street, and do not understand why he is entitled to double damages. The same is also true of the property of Alfred Johnson and the estate of Gottfried Kurtz. However, if the Town Council feels that it is justified in approving these awards our company does not feel like going into litigation over the matter."

The statement of Mr. Stallman was referred to the Board of Assessors for consideration, with instructions to report back to the council if it was deemed advisable to make any changes.

**Carload of Bibles.**

A shipment of one solid carload of Bibles, containing 10,000 volumes, has been consigned by Thomas Nelson & Son of New York to Los Angeles, Cal. The shipment was routed via the Lackawanna and the A. T. & S. F. Railroads. This is one of the largest shipments of a single book ever made at one time.

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**Recreational Education.**

As the child to-day is often trained and schooled by wisely directed play, so also the boy finds in his periods of relaxation the opportunity for development through recreational education or educational recreation. A few years ago such work was almost entirely lacking, but to-day every educational institution is seeking a chance to develop the boy wisely during the sultry vacation period.

The Young Men's Christian Association State Committee has just issued its annual announcement of the summer programme, which is suggestive of many attractive features that will appeal to both parents and boys. For two or three years the committee has been requested by school principals and teachers to introduce at their summer camp on the shores of Lake Wawayanda, a vacation school for boys, for they felt the need of a place where they could encourage their students to attend for summer instruction. These requests became so urgent last year that a special committee was appointed, consisting of Lester Meseroll, supervising principal of the township; Charles F. Lodor, supervising principal Grammar Schools 4 and 11, Passaic, and J. C. Neff, a teacher at New Market. These school men have kept in mind—in all of their plans—the boys conditioned in one or two subjects as well as those who have failed in their work. The boys will have individual instruction by teachers who are tactful, experienced, and successful men from the schools of New Jersey, who understand boy nature and how to deal with it.

The school will open July 2 and will be located on the top of Wawayanda mountain, overlooking the beautiful lake of that name. Two terms of four weeks each will be conducted, and the boys will be required to spend the morning in regular studies. The afternoon will be devoted to recreation and out-door enjoyment.

Charles R. Scott of Newark, the camp director and the State secretary for boys' work of the Young Men's Christian Association, is encouraged by the response on the part of school men, and states that the association had presented to them an exceptional opportunity to help boys at a time when they needed assistance in their school work.

In addition to the school, the camp offers many other educational advantages, for Charles T. Kilborne and the members of his committee have arranged for the attendance of Commodore W. E. Longfellow of the United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps to instruct in swimming and life saving. Observation tours to creameries, saw-mills and farms will be taken, and the boys will have explained to them by the proprietors stock-raising, farming and cutting timber. John H. Van Gelder, a practical surveyor, will take bi-weekly trips with parties of older boys to survey the mountain tract. The shop, located in the camp lodge, has been greatly improved, and rustic manual work will be included, under competent leadership. The dark room is fully equipped and to encourage the boys in this art, a beautiful silver cup will be awarded in a photographic competition.

Percy W. Pierce of Philadelphia, holder of American records for the last three years, and awarded sixteen prizes in public competition, has been engaged to conduct a class in model aeroplanes. The wireless station is being better equipped than last year, and it is expected that unusual interest will be taken in this during the coming summer. The weather reports will be received daily from the Bureau of Agriculture and several well-known lecturers are expected to give illustrated talks on "Forestry," "The Romance of the Sky," "Birds" and other nature study subjects. Last year the boys discovered in one afternoon thirty-seven varieties of birds.

Mr. H. B. Kimmel, the State geologist, revealed the wonderful formation of the Wawayanda section and Alfred Gaskill, the State forester, and J. P. Lipman, soil chemist and professor of agriculture at Rutgers, cooperate in helping these growing boys.

Arrangements are being made to accommodate four hundred boys, and at this early date over one hundred have already enrolled, and promises to be one of the most successful from an educational standpoint.

**Hotel License Transferred.**

The transfer of the hotel license of William Parting, 16 Prospect street, to C. Holmgren was made by the Town Council Monday night. The clerk reported no objections to the transfer and Chairman Sadler of the police committee reported that he had made an investigation of the party named in the transfer and found everything satisfactory.

Mr. Unangst spoke in commendatory terms of Mr. Holmgren and the transfer was granted by unanimous vote.

**To Help Monument Fund.**

John J. H. Love Camp, No. 12, Sons of Veterans of New Jersey, has appointed a committee of its members to raise money to be applied to the construction fund for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument to be erected in this town. All sons and grandsons of veterans are requested to assist in the work. John N. Delhagan, 10 Broad street, is treasurer of the committee and will receive subscriptions.

**Memorial Day Appropriation.**

George M. Cadmus, chairman of the Memorial Day Observance detail of William S. Pierson Post, G. A. R., in a written communication to the Town Council Monday night, requested the council to make the usual appropriation of one hundred dollars which the law provides for Memorial Day observance. The request was complied with.

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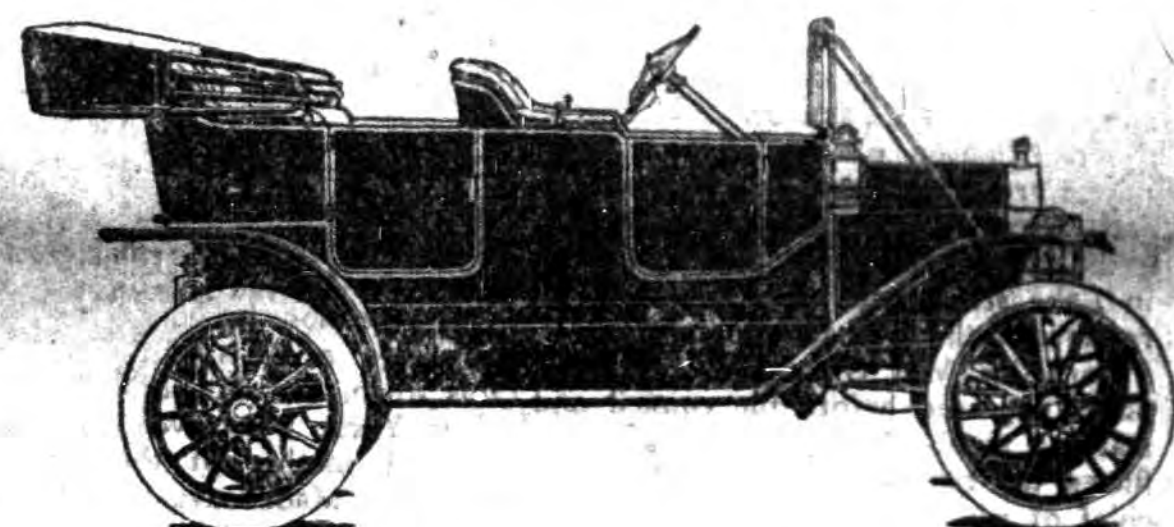
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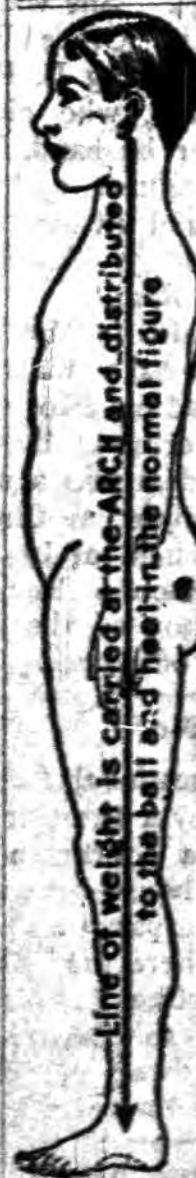
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